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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:

Norrell, et al.

Application No. 10/071,980

Filed: 2/6/2002

For: LINE POWERED LOOP EXTENDER  
WITH COMMUNICATIONS, CONTROL  
AND DIAGNOSTICS

Examiner: Torres, Juan A.

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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on June 15, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 6 of this paper

Remarks begin on page 19 of this paper.

An Information Disclosure Statement and Petition for Extension of Time (with fee) accompanies this amendment.